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The Camper, Counselor Switch Day edition

Saturday 21st June 2014



Camper, Counselor Switch day by Editor

Yesterday, it was the official Camper, Counselor Switch day! This was all connected to The Big Debate, which meant a number of campers from each cabin had the chance to become their cabin counselors. It was a very interesting, energetic, amusing and exhausting day! I had to switch with ZACH BENISVY, which meant I had to participate in Twilight League and I think many would agree that I did a pretty good job! ELI BERNICK, BEN MAJOR, TAYLOR BEAUSEIGNEUR and JUSTIN SCHOENEMAN also took part in Twilight league playing the roles of CHARLIE FISHER, JACK

McCARTY, LEVI PASIKOV and DANIEL MALIS. Respectively everyone at one point came to a standstill to watch the real STEVE and WOODY bat during Twilight. This was a rare moment and we all wanted to capture it! STEVE runs so fast, the juniors were amazed! I feel that a massive shout-out to DANIEL BEN-ISVY and MAX SHAPIRO is in order, for switching with STEVE and WOODY. You both did so well, and remained professional through-out; well done! MAX SHAPIRO may have enjoyed driving around in the Golf Cart a little too much though; however I do believe that you managed to take some good pictures, just like the real WOODY does! JONAH WEISS was in full MAX WEIGNGARDT mode which was highly amusing.

DANIEL BEN-ISVY said "Yesterday was Camper, Counselor Switch Day. I switched places with STEVE and MAX SHAPIRO switched places with WOODY. It was raining in the morning, so we had to alter our plans for the day a little bit. We decided to play a game of "Name That Tune" and "Musical Chairs." In the afternoon we had a canteen and then a rest period which was followed by a traditional game of Twilight League! Next, we went into a General before dinner. After dinner we opened canteen again after playing a game of "Creatively Acquire the Energy Source." After dip and showers we watched a classic episode of Seinfield in Wasserman Hall. It was decided that all seniors were able to play basketball under the lights after Taps until half 10, but would then have to head back to their cabins to sleep. After seeing how much work goes on behind the scenes, I think I have a better sense of how hard the whole staff at Camp Menominee works every single day for us, especially the administration staff."



Name That Tune by Ethan Hasson

Today, everybody at camp participated in a game called "Name That Tune!" This game is where an acting DJ plays a song and your cabin has to guess the song and artist. If you get the title of the album you get an extra point. Cabins seven, ten, twelve and thirteen did the best out of everyone and got to go to eat lunch and dinner first. A big shout-out to TAYLOR BEAUSEIGNEUR for having almost every song, artist and album right, which helped cabin seven win. Almost every type of music was played, from Country, to Pop, and much, much more. Every once in a while, people would gather up to start dancing and

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singing, especially when "Turn down for what" was played! The Koz party ran the event and everybody was having a really good time hanging out. In fact, people were having so much fun that an encore for more songs started, and the original 25 songs turned into 35 songs. The artists of the songs were Taylor Swift, Kesha, Avicii and many more. Counselors like ANDREW BLECHMAN were dancing and doing some wacky moves. Cabin five started a Congo line and lots of people joined in. Tensions rose when campers started yelling all sorts of things that made it sound like they were going to win. All cabins did very well and had so much fun. In the end, "Name that tune" was a huge success!

The CIT Trip by Jake Zweig

The first CIT trip has passed and plenty of campers and counselors alike will live to hear the tale. It had started with the CIT's, JARED LOIBEN, ADAM SAGERMAN, REID KANTER, ETHAN "SLIM" WEISS and myself (JAKE ZWEIG) along with head counselor DAVID MIZOCK speeding out of the camp on a seventeen hour adventure! By the time we arrived at the Dells the squad jumped out of the car and booked into the water park. Many rides were conquered as well as enjoyed. After the water park we all went and ate gourmet moose's on a pizza from Moose Jaw Pizza. After spending a good hour in Walmart as well we left to on to the Mt. Olympus Water & Theme Park rides. ETHAN "SLIM" WEISS went on an awesome ride called Hades for the first time (then again, and again). Later that night, the CIT's met some very interesting people and hung out with them for a short time. The next day we set out for Noah's Ark; the world's largest water park. The CIT's met some very nice people there as well. It was so hot there; we all got pretty burnt even with our sun screen on! Lucky Canteen Number 113. It's a trip we will never forget and we all hope to one day go again!

<u>Creatively acquire the Energy Source by Editor</u>

Everybody at Camp Menominee was asked to take part in a game of "Creatively acquire the Energy Source." The last time this was played at Menominee was during Father & Sons weekend and it was such a great success. I'll never forget when "ALL FATHERS" was shouted and it felt like the stampede in the movie "Jumanji" was happening! There were two teams set up; DANIEL BEN-ISVY (Steve) was in charge of this and he used the teams from the Collegiate Showdown to divide them. Teams One were teams TCU, UNC, Alabama and Colorado on one side of the field and Team Two were teams Arizona, Wisconsin, Iowa and BYU were on the opposite end of the field. As soon as the first numbers were called, the energy and the competing spirit began! JACK FORSYTHE and JACOB SMITH's numbers were the first called out, Jacob from Team One managed to quickly grab the energy source and run back to his side. Team one were already in the lead with two points. Team One continued gaining points with their well thought-out strategies thanks to NOAH LAZARUS, BEN MAJOR, KYLE GOLDMAN and ETHAN HOTT. There were points gained by Team Two as well, from the likes of RYAN BLUM, SAM MILLER, JACK BEHAR, counselors KEVIN CRONIN AND JUSTIN SCHOENEMAN. I managed to tag JUSTIN SHOENEMAN which was so good! In the end, it was so close but Team one won 21-18. Well done everybody!



Counselor Profile

WEATHER REPORT

Tomorrow's weather 79 F



Once again there is a chance of storm but there is no stopping the campers at Camp Menominee.

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